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VIA FACSIMILE

Honorable Harold Baer, Jr. United States District Court Southern District 500 Pearl Street

Re: IEEE v. Taylor & Francis Group LLP et al.

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07 CV 7521

Dear Judge Baer:

New York, NY 10007

This firm is counsel to the plaintiff in the above referenced action. On October 12, 2007, the Court entered an order discontinuing the action, subject to the ability of any party to reopen the action in the event that a settlement was not finalized by December 11, 2007. A copy of the order is enclosed. We are writing to request an extension of the time to reopen the action to and including December 20, 2007.

On December 6, 2007, the parties reached agreement on the terms of a settlement agreement that is in the process of being finalized. Since we anticipate that all steps required to finalize the settlement will be completed by December 20, 2007, in lieu of reopening the action today, we request that the Court extend the time in which the action may be reopened, should the settlement not be finalized, to and including December 20, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosure

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

THE INSTITUTE OF ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONICS ENGINEERS, INC.,

Plaintiff,

-against-

TAYLOR & FRANCIS GROUP, LLC AND CRC PRESS, an imprint of TAYLOR & FRANCIS GROUP, doing business as TAYLOR & FRANCIS/CRC PRESS, formerly known as CRC PRESS, LLC,

Defendants.

07 CIV. 7521 (HB)

ORDER OF DISCONTINUANCE

This cause having duly come on to be heard before me and the attorneys for all parties having advised the Court that all claims asserted herein are settled or are in the process of being settled, it is hereby

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ORDERED that the above entitled action be and hereby is discontinued with prejudice and without costs to either party. Should settlement not be finalized by December 11, 2007, any

party may apply to have the action reopened.

Dated:

New York, New York

October 12, 2007

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I hereby consent to the entry of this proposed order:

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First of all my form talks only about you may "apply" to reopen and secondly I will give you the time but I certainly do not promise to grant your application so I hope it all works out.